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In re Application of:

David W. CANNELL et al.

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For: COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE C₁-C₂₂ SUBSTITUTED C₃ TO C₅ MONOSACCHARIDE UNIT, AND THEIR USE FOR THE PROTECTION AND/OR REPAIR OF KERATINOUS FIBERS

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Sir:

TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

Assignee, L'Oréal S.A., duly organized under the laws of France and having its principal place of business at 14, rue Royale, 75008 Paris, France, through its attorneys, represents that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the instant application, Application No. 09/820,812, filed March 30, 2001, for COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE C₁-C₂₂ SUBSTITUTED C₃ TO C₅ MONOSACCHARIDE UNIT, AND THEIR USE FOR THE PROTECTION AND/OR REPAIR OF KERATINOUS FIBERS in the names of David W. CANNELL, Natalya FADEEVA, and Nghi Van NGUYEN, as indicated by executed assignment recorded on August 3, 2001, at Reel 012042, Frame 0001.

Assignee, L'Oréal S.A., further represents, through its attorneys, that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to U.S. Patent No. 6,486,105 ("the '105 patent") issued on November 26, 2002, for HEAT ACTIVATED DURABLE CONDITIONING COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING C₃ TO C₅ MONOSACCHARIDES, AND METHODS FOR USING SAME in the names of David W. CANNELL, Hitendra MATHUR, and Nghi Van NGUYEN, as indicated on the face of the '105 patent and by executed assignment recorded on July 23, 2001, at Reel 012004, Frame 0697.

Assignee, L'Oréal S.A., further represents, through its attorneys, that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to U.S. Patent No. 6,800,302 ("the '302 patent") issued on October 5, 2004, for HEAT ACTIVATED DURABLE SYTLING COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING C₁ TO C₂₂ SUBSTITUTED C₃-C₅ MONOSACCHARIDES AND METHODS FOR SAME in the names of David W. CANNELL and Nghi Van NGUYEN, as indicated on the face of the '302 patent and by executed assignment recorded on July 16, 2001, at Reel 011990, Frame 0798.

Assignee, L'Oréal S.A., further represents, through its attorneys, that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to co-pending Application No. 09/820,934 ("the '934 application") filed March 30, 2001, for HEAT ACTIVATED DURABLE CONDITIONING COMPOSITION C₁ TO C₂₂ SUBSTITUTED C₃ TO C₅ MONSACCHARIDES AND METHODS FOR USING SAME in the names of David W. CANNELL, Hitendra MATHUR, and Nghi Van NGUYEN, as indicated by executed assignment recorded on July 10, 2001, at Reel 011965, Frame 0857.

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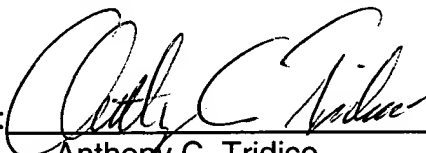
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